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In re application of: **David L. RHODES**

Serial No.: 10/700,976

Filed: November 4, 2003

For: **METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR VIRTUAL INJECTION OF NETWORK APPLICATION CODES INTO NETWORK SIMULATION**

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a **Information Disclosure Statement** in the above-identified application.

Small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been previously established.
 Applicants assert small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27.
 No fee for additional claims is required.
 A filing fee for additional claims calculated as shown below, is required:

(Col. 1)	(Col. 2)	SMALL ENTITY		LARGE ENTITY	
		RATE	FEES	OR	RATE
FOR:	REMAINING	HIGHEST			
	AFTER	PREVIOUSLY	PRESENT		
	AMENDMENT	PAID FOR	EXTRA		
TOTAL CLAIMS	* Minus** =	0	x \$ 9 \$		x \$ 18 \$
INDEP. CLAIMS	* Minus*** =	0	x \$ 40 \$		x \$ 80 \$
<input type="checkbox"/> FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM		+ \$135 \$			+ \$270 \$
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* If the entry in Co. 1 is less than the entry in Col. 2, write "0" in Col. 3.

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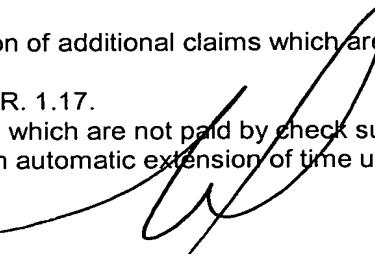
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Also transmitted herewith are:
 Petition for extension under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 (in duplicate)
 Other: **Form PTO 1449 and Copies of References Cited**

Check(s) in the amount of **\$0.00** is/are attached to cover:
 Filing fee for additional claims under 37 C.F.R. 1.16
 Petition fee for extension under 37 C.F.R. 1.136
 Other:

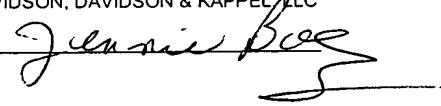
The Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0552.

Any filing fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 for the presentation of additional claims which are not paid by check submitted herewith.
 Any patent application processing fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.17.
 Any petition fees for extension under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 which are not paid by check submitted herewith, and it is hereby requested that this be a petition for an automatic extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136.


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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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Sir:

In accordance with Applicant's duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. §1.56 and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, Applicants hereby make of record the references listed on the attached Form PTO-1449.

The present Information Disclosure Statement is filed under 37 C.F.R. §1.97(b), before the mailing of a first Office Action on the merits. Accordingly, it is believed that no fee is due. However, if it is determined that any fee is due, the Examiner is authorized to charge said fee to Attorney Deposit Account No. 50-0552.

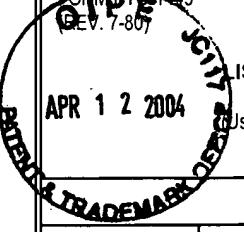
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	AB	5	8	6	2	3	6	2	01/19/99	Somasegar et al.	395	500	
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